

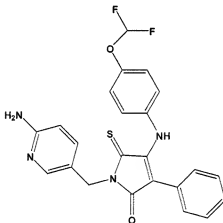
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of: Patrik HOLM) Confirmation No. 1783
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Application No.: 10/563,676) Group Art Unit: 1626
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Filed: January 5, 2006) Examiner: Robert H. Havlin
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FOR: Pyrrole-2,5-Dithione Derivatives as Liver X)
Receptor Modulators) <u>Date: November 28, 2007</u>

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to an Office Action dated October 30, 2007, the time for response to which extends through November 30, 2007, Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, the invention of Group I (i.e., claims 1 to 10, 12 and 42), drawn to compounds.

Further, Applicant elects without traverse as a single species from Group I, the compound of Example 17, i.e., 1-[(6-aminopyridin-3-yl)methyl]-4- {[4-(difluoromethoxy)phenyl]amino}-3-phenyl-5-thioxo-1,5-dihydro-2H-pyrrrol-2-one, the structure of which is shown below:




Claims 1, 2, 4 to 7, 9, 10, 12 and 42 currently encompass the elected species.

Except for issues payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application

including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **constructive petition for extension of time** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3).

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